

Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Portage County, Ohio

Trend of Fatalities, 1999-2003

		1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	22	25	32	28	17
	Alcohol-Related	8	15	15	10	7
	Single Vehicle	11	7	15	8	10
	Non-Junction	14	9	20	21	7
	Intersection	7	8	8	6	7
	Intersection-Related	0	1	1	1	0
	Speeding Involved	8	5	3	4	6
	Pedestrians	2	0	4	2	5
	Pedalcyclists	0	1	1	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	5	5	4	2	3
	Roadway Departure	13	11	18	15	4
	Passenger Car Occupants	9	15	14	17	9
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	8	7	11	6	3
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	2	0	1	0	0
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	19	22	26	23	12
	Motorcycle Riders	1	2	1	3	0

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+) By Restraint Use, 2003

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2003	12	3	9	0

Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+) By Helmet Use, 2003



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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2003

	2003					
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State		
Total Fatalities	17	27	10.98	65		
Alcohol-Related	7	17	4.52	49		
Single Vehicle	10	19	6.46	48		
Non-Junction	7	50	4.52	82		
Intersection	7	12	4.52	25		
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0		
Speeding Involved	6	13	3.88	32		
Pedestrians	5	7	3.23	3		
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0		
Large Truck Involved	3	23	1.94	38		
Roadway Departure	4	64	2.58	86		
Passenger Car Occupants	9	27	5.81	62		
Light Truck/Van Occupants	3	40	1.94	61		
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	0	0	0		
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	12	33	7.75	67		
Motorcycle Riders	0	0	0	0		

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.